

Jailhouse Rock Song

The following song can be sung to a Karaoke style backing track (free on the internet) to the Elvis Presley song of the same name. Each day a verse can be added to remind the kids of the story.

1. The judge threw the disciples in the dingy cell
because the pow'r of Jesus made the lame man well
They said now don't you talk about Jesus again
but John said we must obey God not men.

*Let's rock, everybody let's rock,
everybody in the whole cell block
is dancing' to the jailhouse rock*
2. Stephen told the people about God's own Son
who saved us from our sins by the things he'd done
They took up rocks to stone him but they couldn't win
cos Jesus opened he'vn and let him in
3. Saul was on the hunt along the Damascus trail
He saw a blinding light and let out a wail
A voice from heaven asked why do you hurt me so
Now I'm gonna lead you where you have to go.
4. Peter was in prison with the gates shut tight
he opened his eyes and saw an amazing sight
an angel came from heaven to take Peter where
his friends were calling out to God in prayer.
5. Paul and Silas in the prison in the dead of night
The walls began to shake and they were filled with fright
The doors were blown wide open so they could go free
The jailer said now who can save me.